

BAYS JAMES C  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
BAYS JAMES C

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
1000 LAKESIDE AVENUE  
(Street)

CLEVELAND, OH 44114-1147

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
FERRO CORP [FOE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/06/2007

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock					9,937	D	
Common Stock - Restricted	02/06/2007		A		8,750 <u>(1)</u>	A	\$ 21.99 44,750
Common Stock - Supp Exec Defined					2,503.7111	D	
Common Stock					297.438	I	Investment Savings

Plan

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 19.39					02/07/2006 02/07/2015	Common Stock 44,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 20.18					05/16/2001 05/16/2011	Common Stock 11,250
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 20.69					02/16/2007 02/16/2016	Common Stock 22,750
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 21.26					02/29/2004 02/28/2013	Common Stock 35,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 25.5					02/11/2003 02/11/2012	Common Stock 30,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 26.26					02/09/2005 02/09/2014	Common Stock 39,000
	\$ 21.99	02/06/2007		A		02/06/2008 02/06/2017	25,000

Stock	25,000	Common
Options (Right to buy)	<u>(2)</u>	Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BAYS JAMES C 1000 LAKESIDE AVENUE CLEVELAND, OH 44114-1147			Vice President	

## Signatures

James C Bays	02/07/2007
<u>  </u> Signature of Reporting Person	Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (2) Stock Option Grant. Ten year life; 25% vesting the first four years. Upon retirement, unvested options become fully vested and available to exercise for the remaining life of the options.
- (1) Restricted shares of common stock granted under the Performance Share Plan. Restrictions expire based upon degree of achievement of performance goal. At the end of the performance period, 50% of award is paid in shares free of restrictions, and 50% is paid in cash. If the amount awarded is less than 100% of the restricted shares, the balance is forfeited to the company.

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